# Alexandria Gazette.

For this section light to fresh northerly winds, except brish on the coast, warmer, fair weather. THE GRANGERS, -The District Grange of Northern Virginia, which met in this city vesterday, adjourned this evening after transacting a good deal of business.

Yeserday the Grange adopted resolutions sing the measures now before Congress prevent trues; advocating pure food, and esting against the Palmer (pleuro pneuprotesting against the Falmer (pleuro pneu-mous) ht i The following officers were therefected H. H. Garrett, master; J. B. Bawmen, overseer; W. P. Dodge, steward; E H Jones, assistant steward; J. M. Ben-ton chapain; R. R. Feir, lecturer; J. C. Wems, secretary; J. R. Alrich, treasurer; P R. Smith, gate keeper; Mrs. J. B. Bow-min, Ceres; Miss. Bettie Benton, Pemona; Mrs. D. H. Plaster, Flora : Miss J. H. Garset stewardess, and C. H. Pierson, R. R. Fert, and W. T. Rumsey executive commit

At the assion this morning the Grange indersed the action of the State Grange relative to encouraging immigration to the ie, and decided to hold the next meeting at Manassas on June 13th.

J M. Benton was elected delegate to Pomona Grange of Frederick county, and A. J. Wedderburn and J. P. Corbin delegates

to the State Grange. The resolutions of censure to the master, sdopted at the last meeting, were ordered to be expringed from the minutes against the protest of the master.

The officers of the fire insurance depart ment of the Grange were instructed to push

The remainder of the session was occupled to transacting routine business and disseting of the Grange Camp Association hed last night Thos. S. Stedden was elected president, X. X. Charters secretary and J. B. Bowman treasurer. It was decided to hold the next camp during the

Banquer.—The members of the Grand Ladke, Knights of Honor of Virginia, which glosed its session in this city yesterday, were tendered a banquet at the Braddock House last night by Belle Haven Lodge of that order, of this city, at which there was a large attendance. The spacious dining hall of the hotel was tastefully decorated for the occasion and the tables were hand-somely set, fruits, flowers and growing palms being prettily interspersed among the viands which were most temptingly served.

The menu consisted of oysters on half

shell, stewed and fried; turkey, tongue, ham; sardines, lobster, chicken and potatosalads; relishes; bananas, apples, oranges, assorted cake, ice cream, coffee, tea, all of which were delightfully prepared. After full justice had been done to the banquet, Mr. A. W. Armstrong announced the toasts for the evening which were happily responded to by Grand Dictator J. T. Morris; P. G. Dictators J. C. Teller and J. T. Kinney, and by Mr. F. A. Reed, Mayor Downham, Mr. A. W. Armstrong and others. The affair was a very pleasant one and the man-agers of the Braddock House were warmly congratulated on the sumptuous and tempting manner in which they had prepared the

INVITATION ACCEPTED.—At a meeting of Washington Lodge A. F. & A. M., held last pight, Past Master Thes. Wood, of Frederaksburg Lodge, was present and presented a copy of a resolution, adopted at the last meeting of his lodge, inviting Washington Ladge to join in an excursion to Mt. Vernoa to be given on August 4th next—the analysisary of the day on which George Washington was made a Mason. The invitation was accepted and Messrs. F. E. Corbett, K. Kemper and Hubert Snowden were appointed a committee to unite with the committee appointed by Fredericksburg Lodge in making the necessary arrangements for the pro-

Police Report.-Last night was clear and cold, with four prisoners and no lodgera at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the

Geo. Gary, colored, arrested by officer Jones for disorderly conduct, was fined \$2.50.

Daniel Triplett, a colored boy, arrested by officer Jones for disorderly conduct, was discharged after being punished by his

An old colored man named Wm. Carter, who has been sick for some time past, was sent to the alms house.

PERSONAL.-Mr. W. H. Bailie, of Lynchburg, Grand Recorder of Knights of Honor, who, as before stated, was quite ill at the Braddock House, has sufficiently recovered

Mr. G. Was, Ramsay, who has been confixed to his nome for the past week by a scvere cold, is out again.

Capt. G. A. Mushbach and Lieut. Albert Bryan of the Alexandria Light Infantry, have been invited to act as judges at the competitive drill of the Richmond compaone, to take place in that city on April 10th

MARYLAND CANAL PROJECT .- The U. S Setate committee on commerce is opposed to the building of a free ship canal connecting the waters of the Potomac river and Chesapeake bay by way of the Eastern Branch of the Potomac to South river, bene-through to the Severn at Annapolis. The committee yesterday reported adverseboth the Harris and the Riddleberger s providing for the preliminary surveys and location of the proposed canal.

MINK KILLED -A large mink was caught and killed by Mersrs. Thos. Kelly and Wm. Woolls in this city yesterday in a load of hay which had come from the farm of Mr. Haris Freeman, near this city, and which had been sold to Mr. A. Travers, in the Third ward. When discovered in the wagon the mink had a ben which he was eating. The ducks belonging to Mr. Freeman during the

PROPERTY SALES .- Mr. C. L. Fisher has sold to Mr. J. H. Fisher a one half interest is the house and lot on the west side of Coor \$1 000

Mr. F. L. Spinks bas sold to Mr. Thomas Lynch the house and lot on the northeast corner of He my and Princess streets for

INJUNCTION. The property situated at the northwest corner of Cameron and Pattick streets, which was advertised for sale to morrow, by Mr. R. T. Lucis, trustee, has been withdrawn until further notice by rea sen of an injunction from the Circuit Cou t

Eabroideries at Chapman's, 424 King street.

Fall stock of Kippons, Lacer, Buetles and Corsels at Chapman's, 424 King street.

MT. VERNON AVENUE ASSOCIATION .-After the GAZETTE's report of the meeting of the Mt. Vernon Avenue Association closed yesterday evening the bill recently passed by the Virginia legislature, turning over a claim of the State of Virginia against the United States for \$120,000, was read and the forlowing committee appointed to urge the allowance of the claim by Congress: Jefferson Chandler, E. W. Fox, Eppa Hunton, Charles E. Stuart, F. A. Reed, M. B. Harlow, Frank Hume, James R. Caton, J. T. Beckham, J. E. Sickles, D. R. Windsor, F. R. Windsor, N. W. Pierson, and E. E. Downham. The committee was called to meet at Willard's Hotel, in Washington, to-

morrow at 1:45 o'clock.

A committee consisting of Messrs. E.
W. Fox, Frank Hume, Park Agnew,
Frank A. Reed, and N. W. Pierson,
was also appointed to confer with
the legislature of Maryland with a view to
securing a resolution from that body turnsecuring a resolution from that body turning over to the association a claim of the ever, the market subsided into most intense duli-State of Maryland against the general gov. ness, without movement or feature of any kind, ernment, similar to the one so generously assigned by the legislature of Virginia.

DEATES -- Mrs Agnes Phillips McKimwife of Rev. Dr. Randolph H. McKim, form erly of this city, and now rector of Trinity Protestant Episcopal Church, New Orleanswhose illness was mentioned in the GAZETTE a few days since, died in New Orleans yesterday after a brief illness. She was a

daughter of Dr. Phillips, of Staunton. George M. Douglas, a well known jour-nalist of Washington, died there yesterday morning at the residence of his father, aged 32 years. His death resulted from a complication of heart and lung diseases. Mr Douglas was well-known here where he had many friends who will regret to learn of his

OPERA HOUSE.-The Berlow Bros'. Minstrels made a parade on the principal streets to day and attracted much attention. They will appear at the Opera House to-night and promise an excellent performance. An exchange says: "Their well rendered specialties, their superior music and their allround ability entitle the troupe to a front rank in minstrelsy."

PROMOTED. - Mr. P. J. McCrink, of this city, has been promoted from assistant to chief engineer of the U.S. quarantine steamer Woodworth, at a salary of \$1,000 per annum. As stated yesterday, the steamer is now at the ship yard here for re-

#### LOCAL BREVITIES.

The first Potomac shad of the season was caught on Monday off "Wilkerson's" by R. L. Goldman and were sent to Washington.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to John W. Douglass, of Leesburg, and Carrie A. Hatton, of Wash

Captain John H. Cooper, of Baltimore, was yesterday designated as local inspector of hulls of steam vessels, vice Levi Valentine, resigned,

Those who have been afraid of "night doctors" during the winter will be glad to know that most of the medical colleges will close in a short time and that "subjects" will not be in demand again till next fall. William and Westell Willonghby, formerly of this city, have been chosen for the Johns Hop-kins University base ball club.

The cow which was struck by an engine on the A. & F. track yesterday morning, belonging to Mr. James Hammersley and mentioned in the Gazette, was allowed to remain in its wounded condition until this morning, the rallroad company and the owner of the cow, it is said, refusing to have anything to do with it. The superintendent of police was notified and had the animal killed and hanled away. It is said that Mr. Hammersley will sue the company for the value of the cow.

The Friendship Fire Company held a meeting last night and appointed a committee to make ar-rangements for a ba'l to be given on the night of May first next.

The alarm of fire about 7:30 o'clock last night was caused by the burning of a chimney in the row of frame houses on Honry street, between Cameron and Queen.

Annie Washington, colored, living at the east end of the tunnel has lost another of her children. this being the third child that has died in six weeks. She is in very destitute circumstances and deserves help A little son of Mr. H. H. Harper was struck on

Dr. C. W. Birdsall will, on the first of April, re-

move from his present residence on Prince street, to one of the houses on Pitt street recently erect The March term of the Corporation Court will Hay. Cut do...

The Rarest of Combinations.

True delicacy of flavor with true efficacy of action has been attained in the famous California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs. Its pleasant taste and beneficial effects bave randered it immensely popular. It clearses the System, cures Costiveness, etc. E. S. Leadbeater & Bro, agents, Alexandria, Va.

Just received 25 pieces of plain and figured satine, beautiful patterns, and extra fine quality. This is a special bargain at 122 cents, really worth 18 cents. Look at Chapman's, 424 King street.

White Goods! White Goods! White Goods! from 6 cents to 25 cents, at Chapman's, 424 King street.

Tickets 50c, which can be reserved without ex-tra charge at Messrs. Summers & Allen's Gallery

## OPERA HOUSE ONE NIGHT ONLY-FRIDAY, MARCH 9. BARLOW BROTHERS' MINSTRELS,

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Composed of none but the leading lights of min strelsy, under the managemement of Mr. Ed. H. Neill. AND OUR CHAMPION BAND.

8—Comedians—8
6—Big Song and Dancers—6
8— Renowned Vocalists—8
6—Marvelous Acrobatic Performers—6
10—First-class Specialists—10
And our own full and complete Reed and String
Orchestra.
Popular Prices—15, 25, 35 and 50c.
Popular Prices—16, 26, 36 and 50c.

Reserved seats at Summers & Allen's drug store.

DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINES, at this time For the latest in E and W. Collars and the leading machine. Prices the same as usual. Old machines of any kind taken in part attract.

Sugar and Coffee Market, March 8.—Sugar.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Business matters remain very quiet. Money is very scarce, though in Baltimore, New York and some of the other larger cities it is quoted easy, with a liberal supply. Virginia securities are inactive and quotations are generally nominal. Consol coupons fundable at par are wanted at 66, and the 50 per cent issue sold vestering at 33. and the 50 per cent. issue sold yesterday at 33, The 10.40 coupons non-fundable are wanted at 26. Railroad bonds and stocks are dull and

NEW YORE, March 9 .- The stock market was very quiet but strong at the opening this morning, first prices showing advances over last evening's closing figures of from 1/3 to 5/4 per cent. The general list was very dull, the inactive list being almost entirely neglected. The dealings were devoid of feature, fluctuations being made over an exceedingly narrow range, though the firm tone and at 11 o'clock it was extremely dull and stagnant at opening prices. Money easy at 216a3 6.

London, March 9, 1 p. m -Prices on the Stock Exchange have been fluctuating to-day. They opened firm but declined. They are now firmer.

LONDON, March 9 .- Dispatches from the Continent say that the Paris and Vienna bourses are firm to day. The Hamburg and Frankfort bourses

BALTIMORE, Mar. 9 .- Virginia 6s consolidated with coupon 43; past-due coupons 65%; new 3s 66; 10-40s 364 bid to-day.

WHOLESALE PRICES OF	PPODI	tor	MAD
Flour, fine	\$2 50	0	2 75
Superfine	2 75	(9)	3 00
Extra	3 75	(9)	4 25
Family	4 50	0	5 00
Fancy brands	4 75	(4)	5 25
Wheat, Lougberry	0.88	0	0 94
Fulte	0.82	(0)	0 92
Mixed	0.85	COD	0 93
Fair Wheat	0.78	(0)	0.78
Damp and tough	0.56	0	0 57
Corn, white	0 55	(0)	0 56
Yollow	0.58	99	0.59
Corn Meal	0.58	(8)	0 65
Rye	0 35		0 38
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Butter, Virginia prime	015	0	018
Common to middling	0 14	9	015
Eggs	0 10	0	013
Live Chickens	012	(8)	014
Dressed Chickens	012	(0)	014
Live Turkeys	0 15	1917/25/01	017
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Dressed Pork	0 5	(0)	
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Fore quarters Bost	0 3	(0)	0 51
Veal Calves		7 Table 1	0 6
Irish l'otatoes per bushel	0 80	10	0 90
Onions	2 50	(0)	3 25
Apples per barrel	0 15	(3)	0 18
Dried Peaches, peeled	0 7	(9)	0 10
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Smoked Beef	0 12	(0)	0 13
Sngars-Brown		(0)	0 64
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Conf. Standard A	0 61/2		0 73
Granulated	0 15	8	0 19
Coffees—Rio La Gauyra	0 17	(4)	0 19
La Gauyra	0 23	(a)	0 25

0 22 0 40 0 30 New Orleans ... (a) 0 38 (b) 5 25 (c) 5 50 (c) 10 00 14 00 18 00 4 75 2 75 5 00 Clover Seed .. Timothy

Plaster, ground, per ton ..... Turk's Island. 120 565696 Vashed..... Merino, unwashed..... Do. Washed..... 0 22 0 25 @ 16 00 @ 21 00 @ 21 50 @ 21 75 @ 22 00 

23 00 @ 24 00 25 00 @ 26 00 Hominy Chop Cotton Seed Meal The offerings of Flour are not quite so liberal but there is no change to note in figures. Receipts of Wheat are very small, and we fied at home, as in other markets, a good, steady milling

demand for choice samples at full prices, while all. other grades drag along, as for the past season and are hard to place even at current values. sales at 70, 75, 77, 78 and 83 for damaged, common and fair; 83 to 85 for fair to No. 2, and 85 to 94 for sound milling lots. Corn is steadier in tone at 56 to 57. Rye and Oats are firm and unchanged. Eggs are weak and abundant at 14 to 15. Pork, Poultry and other produce is scarce

Give Ely's Cream Balm a trial. This justly celebrated remedy for the cure of catarth, hay lever, cold in the head, &c., can be obtained of any reputable druggist and may be relied upon as a safe and pleasant remedy for the above complaints and will give immediate relief. It is not a liquid, shuff or powder, has no offensive odor and can be used at any time with good results, as thousands can testify, among them some of the attaches of this office, — Spirit of the Times, May 29, 1886.

CRAND OPERATIC CONCERT FOR THE AMUSEMENTS.

CRAND OPERATIC CONCERT FOR THE AMUSE ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT, the 14th inst. The following musical taleut will take part in the concert:

Lethus Male Quartette of New York; Miss Bessie Simmons, Soprano; Mr. Beare, Tenor Solo; Miss Comp. Contralto; Mr. Southard, Piano Solo; Mr. J. Burdette, Elocutionist; Mr. J. Harry Delmonte, Tenor Solo; Miss Camp, Soprano, and other celebrated musicians.

Tickets 50c, which can be reserved without extending the contract of the cure of catarth, hay lever, cold in the care of catarth, hay lever, cold in the head, &c., can be obtained of and Western super \$2 37a2 75; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Ramily \$4 00a4 60; city mills super \$2 37a2 60; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Ramily \$4 00a4 60; city mills super \$2 37a2 60; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Rainly \$4 00a4 60; city mills super \$2 37a2 60; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Rainly \$4 00a4 60; city mills super \$2 37a2 60; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Rainly \$4 00a4 60; city mills super \$2 37a2 60; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Rainly \$4 00a4 60; city mills super \$2 37a2 60; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Rainly \$5 50; do family \$4 00a4 60; city mills super \$2 37a2 60; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Rainly \$5 50; do family \$5 15. Wheat—Sonthern firm and quiet; not super \$2 37a2 60; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Rainly \$5 50; do family \$4 00a4 60; city mills super \$2 37a2 60; do extra \$3 00a3 75; do Rainly \$4 00a4 60; city mills super \$ BALTIMORE, March 9 .- Cotton dull; middling

NEW YORK, March 9.—Cotton quiet and steady; uplands 10 3-16; Orleans 10 5-16; futures steady. Flour quiet and firm. Wheat batter. Corn unchanged. Pork steady at \$15a15-25. Old Mess Pork \$14 75a15. Lard steady at \$8a8 02\frac{1}{2}.

CHICAGO, March 9, 11 a. m —At this hour the May option is quoted as follows: Wheat \$67ga\$1; Corn 52%; Oats 31%31%; Pork \$14 10; Lard \$7 72%; short ribs \$7 27%;

RICHMOND MARKET, March 8.—The market is quiet. Flour is steady but the demand is limited. The sales of Wheat to day reached about 2,000 bushels at 97 for prime longberry. Sales of prime white Corn at 58. Winter Oats brought 50a55.

FREDERICKSBURG MARKET, March 8 .- Very

little doing in every kind of produce and prices are quoted as for the past few weeks.

CATTLE MARKETS.

BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET, March S .- The Baltimore Cattle Market, March S.—The Cattle and Sheep market was held to day, and there was a fair supply, the receipts of Cattle being about 440. There was a good demand for all grades, with the quality not as good as last Thursday. The lively competition between the Monday and Thursday dealers caused prices to advance ½3½c per ib, and the retail trade was in sympathy with the wholerale. Baltimore butchers bought 252 at the ctate Scales, and shout five loads sold at Calverton and Clar mont yards. The remainder were shipped to Eastern markets. Prices of Beef Cattle ranged as follows: Good to best 4¾a5½c, fair to good 4¾a4½c, common to fair 3½a4¾c; extreme range of prices 3½a5½c per lb.

per lb.

The receipts of Sheep and Lambs were light this week, some 2173 head. The demand was good, and quotations ranged as follows: Good to extra Sheep 6a64c, fair to good 54a6c, common to fair 44a54c, and Lambs 6a7c per lb.

New York Cattle Market, Mar. S.—Beeves—no trading in Beef Cattle; dressed Beef quiet but firm; sales at 6\%\ a8\%\ a\$ c per 1b for poor to best sides. Sheep and Lambs firm at an advance of \%\ ac per 1b; Sheep sold at \\$6a7 25 per 100 lbs, with one carload at \\$7 50; Lambs sold at \\$6 25a 8, with one carload at \\$8 40 per 100 lbs. Hogs nominal at \\$5 50a5 80 per 100 lbs.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET, March 8.—Cattle—market strong; shipping Steers \$3 20a5 10; stockers and feeders \$2 20a3 50; mixed \$2a3 40, and Texas Cattle \$3 25a4. Hogs-market strong mixed \$5 10a5 25; heavy \$5 35a5 55; light \$5 05a5 35. Sheep-market strong and 15c higher; natives \$4a6; Western \$4 10a5, and Lambs \$5 40a6 35.

QUEENSTOWN CATTLE MARKET, March 8.—At Queenstown this week there were some 159 head of Cattle offered, with sales at 25,25c per lb. Some 208 Sheep and Lambs were offered; Sheep brought 44,265,2c, and Lambs 6a7c. Some Cows and Calves were sold at \$25,345 per head. The market was fair for Cattle and good for Sheep and Lambs.

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Fancy Open-Kettle Molasses

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**Bright Turkey Prunes,** Fancy Evap'd. Apples, New Split Peas, Black-eyed Peas, FOR SALE BY

#### C. WM. RAMSAY.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

Office Auditor of Public Accounts,
Richmond, March 6th, 1888. I will be at the office of M. B. Harlow, City Treasurer of Alexandria, for a few days, com-mencing Thursday, March 8th, to supply tax payers who have heretofore tendered coupons who may desire to pay their taxes in money with statements of the amounts due and to inform them statements of the smooth how the same can be settled.

C. LEE MOORE,

For Auditor Public Accounts. PURE FRESH SEED

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and EURBANK POTATOES. N. LINDSEY & CO.,

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### WE HAVE OPENED

And now is the time to purchase this class of goods. The assortment is better than later in the season; you can get the pick of the styles and

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## French and American Satines

Are more beautifully designed this season than ever before. We have culled the most choice styles from the largest stocks in New York.

# Spring Dress Ginghams

Are of great variety of pattern and coloring; this is especially true of the popular Toile du Nord, the best American Gingham made.

All Cotton fabrics have advanced rapidly during the last two or three months, but we took time by the forelock and laid in a large lot of

#### 8-4, 9-4 AND 10-4 SHEETINGS.

Which we are selling at the old prices.

have more time in which to make them up.

# CLUTHS AND SUITINGS FOR SPRING AND SUMMER.

Our New Cutter has given such entire satisfaction that we have purchased more largely for this department than usual. We always buy our suits and suitings early, as we can get a better selection then than we could possibly get later in the season, after the stocks had all been picked over and broken. We have all the newest novelties in

Plain and Striped Cheviots, Silk Mixtures and Homespuns, And a large line of Domestic Cassimeres

and Plain Cloths and Worsteds. In Trouserings we are fully prepared to please the most fastidious.

Buy your Suits now and have them made up before the busy season

Remnants of Carpets at Bargain Prices.

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COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP. The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, constituting the firm of E. J. MILLER, SON & CO., has this day expired by limitation E. J. MILLER T. B. HUDSON.

December 31, 1887.

The undersigned will continue the business at the old stand under the firm name of E. J. Miller & Son, and request a continuance of the patronage awarded in the past.

E. J. MILLER. awarded in the past.

ASHBY MILLER.

DIVIDENDS. TO THE DEPOSITORS OF THE FARMERS AND MECHANICS' SAVINGS BANK OF

ALEXANDRIA, VA.
A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT, being the sixth dividend, will be paid to depositors upon the presentation of deposit books at my edice, No. 218 King street. ALEXANDRIA, VA. LEONAED MARBURY, Receiver.

#### TO TAX-PAYERS.

In answer to inquiries from persons who have tendered coupons in payment of State taxes, I call the attention of those interested to the following circular-letter from Mr. Cooper, the agent, and Mr. Royal, the attorney for the Corporation of Foreign Boadholders. R. T. LUCAS, Agent.

911 E. MAIN ST., BICHMOND, VA. 1

December 9th, 1887. Dear Sir: In view of the recent decision of the Supreme Court, I think it proper to advise you of what I propose to do in the future.

I wish to inform every one who has bought conpons with my guaranty, that the guaranty will be acted not for the letter so lower as those who pons with my guaranty, that the guaranty will be acted up to, to the letter, so long as those who purchased the coupons stand up to their side of the contract. They agree to tender coupons for their taxes and I agree to save them harmless. I desire that every person who has tendered coupons will disregard the threats of the State's officers of suit, arrest or other molestation.

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the sheriff comes to them with an execution for
the judgment, let them tender to him the exact
amount of what he claims in coupons, or in coupons and currency. If he refuses the tender and
levies and sells, let them buy in their property at
the sale and report the facts to me. I will at once
have suit instituted in the United States Court for
demans for the sale. I must insist that all purdamages for the sale. I must insist that all pur-chasers of coupons with my guaranty shall stand up to their side of the contract of indemnity, as I

shall stand up to mine.

Note this.—If the tax before the suit was \$60, and the tax payer had tendered 2 \$30 coupons, and the costs of the suit under the Coupon Crusher had been \$15, let him tender the shoriff who has had been \$15, let him teneer the shorth who has
the execution two \$30 coupons and \$15 in money;
or the figures and proportions to suit any case.
Some persons think that the recent decision of
the Supreme Court has destroyed the right of parties to stand on a tender of coupons and recover
damages from State's officer who undertakes to interfere with that right. It has done no such thing terfere with that right. It has done no such thing but has expressly affirmed it. It has lefs our right to recover damages from any State's officer who molests us in any way after a tender of coupous, just as it was before

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